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**From:** Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 12, 2007 12:38 PM  
**To:** Sarah Palin; Joseph D Schmidt; Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Bitney; John W (GOV); Tom E Irwin; Martha K Rutherford; Patrick S Galvin; Hartig; Lawrence L (DEC); Kreitzer; Annette E (DOA); S R Pamell; Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV); Jackson; Karleen K (HSS); Notti; Emil R (CED); Monegan; Walt C (DPS); Spencer; Kari L (GOV); Kim; Anna C (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Smith; Lynne M (GOV); Roger L Sampson; Frye; Ivy J (GOV); Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Bishop; Clark C (DOL); Campbell; Craig (MVA); talis.colberg@law.state.ak.us; Lloyd; Denby S (DFG); Von Scheben; Leo (DOT)  
**Cc:** Stapleton; Meghan N (GOV); Clark; Christopher G (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)  
**Subject:** ethics

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*Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com> wrote:*

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Thanks!  
Sarah

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**From:** John Bitney [john\_bitney@gov.state.ak.us]

**Sent:** Saturday, May 12, 2007 5:24 PM

**To:** 'Sarah Palin'; Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Patrick S Galvin

**Subject:** FW: AGIA

This is bad recording of the song AGIA from the legislative skits.

Please note that the guitar playing is flawless.

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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 12, 2007 4:00 PM  
**To:** Frye; Ivy J (GOV)  
**Subject:** Re: ed rasumssen

Amen!

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Ivy Frye <ivy\_frye@gov.state.ak.us>  
**Date:** Sat, 12 May 2007 15:53:08  
**To:** 'Sarah Palin' <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>  
**Subject:** RE: ed rasumssen

(I mean talking to Ed)

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**From:** Sarah Palin [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 12, 2007 3:48 PM  
**To:** ivy\_frye@gov.state.ak.us; karleen\_jackson@health.state.ak.us;  
mike\_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us; John W Bitney; denby\_lloyd@fishgame.state.ak.us  
**Cc:** kari\_spencer@gov.state.ak.us  
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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com  
Sent: Saturday, May 12, 2007 3:56 PM  
To: Stepovich; Melissa M (GOV)  
Subject: Re: Fwd: ethics

Thank you Melissa! And thanks to our fine Fairbanks folks.

-----Original Message-----

From: Melissa M Stepovich <melissa\_stepovich@gov.state.ak.us>  
Date: Sat, 12 May 2007 14:49:57  
To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>  
Cc: Kristina Y Perry <kris\_perry@gov.state.ak.us>, colleen\_sullivan\_leonard@gov.state.ak.us, susan\_davis@gov.state.ak.us  
Subject: Re: Fwd: ethics

Great great news!

I am so glad you had the support of the Interior delegation and other city governments in and around Fairbanks on AGIA, it means we're headed in the right direction in Fairbanks (not often the case!).

Fairbanks is 32 degrees today, rainy and chance of snow, I'm sure summer is around the corner, global warming !@#\$%\$&  
Melissa

----- Original Message -----

From: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>  
Date: Saturday, May 12, 2007 12:40 pm  
Subject: Fwd: ethics  
To: Kristina Y Perry <kris\_perry@gov.state.ak.us>, melissa\_stepovich@gov.state.ak.us, colleen\_sullivan\_leonard@gov.state.ak.us, susan\_davis@gov.state.ak.us

> Thanks for your great note yesterday Kris! Awesome that AGIA

> passed. Ethics, too.

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> Now we're on to PERS/TRS and budget.

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> Thank you!

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> Note: forwarded message attached.

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**To:** Frye, Ivy J (GOV)  
**Subject:** Re: ed rasumssen

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**From:** Ivy Frye <ivy\_frye@gov.state.ak.us>  
**Date:** Sat, 12 May 2007 15:52:56  
**To:** 'Sarah Palin' <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>  
**Subject:** RE: ed rasumssen

Man, Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

WE'LL find his replacement. The search is on.

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**Sent:** Saturday, May 12, 2007 4:50 PM  
**To:** Meghan N Stapleton; Tom E Irwin; Lefebvre; Richard A (DNR); Martha K Rutherford; Bitney; John W (GOV)  
**Cc:** Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Clark; Christopher G (GOV)  
**Subject:** RE: Governor on Mat Maid

JB: any idea where the \$600g request ended up? In or out?

**Meghan Stapleton** <meghan\_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us> wrote:

Thank you. Would it be too difficult to turn an interview that day - or shall I just give him what I've got and setp an interview for later in the week?

-----Original Message-----

**From:** "Tom Irwin"  
**To:** "Meghan Stapleton" ; "Sarah Palin" ; "LeFebvre Dick" ; "Rutherford Marty"  
**Cc:** "Michael A Tibbles" ; "Joe Balash"  
**Sent:** 5/5/07 7:56 AM  
**Subject:** RE: Governor on Mat Maid

Meg, we will get an updated Ag report for Monday morning.

-----Original Message-----

**From:** "Meghan Stapleton"  
**To:** "Sarah Palin"  
**Cc:** "Michael A Tibbles" ; "Joe Balash"  
**Sent:** 5/4/07 5:39 PM  
**Subject:** FW: Governor on Mat Maid

Journal of Commerce would like an interview on ag issues in the Valley. Rob Stapleton (no relation) has been waiting for an interview with you on ag issues for four months. Now with Mat Maid, the pressure is on again.

Earlier today, I did forward to him the information below, as well as the following information:

Rob,

OMB forwarded a request for \$600,000 in Agriculture Revolving Loan funds to the House and Senate Finance committees for consideration on April 26th.

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Karen Rehfeld was told that the request will be in the Senate version of the capital/supplemental bill that is due for release soon (perhaps today). Rehfeld was also told that the fund source will be GF.

Thanks,

Meg

He is writing a story for Monday. Would you be interested in calling him on Monday?

Thanks,

Meg

Meghan N. Stapleton

Communications Director

Office of Governor Sarah Palin

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From: Robert Stapleton [mailto:rob.stapleton@alaskajournal.com]  
Sent: Friday, May 04, 2007 12:17 PM  
To: Meghan Stapleton

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Subject: Re: Governor on Mat Maid

Meghan,  
Great, thanks.  
RS

On 5/4/07 11:48 AM, "Meghan Stapleton"  
wrote:

While I can't get a hold of the Governor today, she did provide her view in an email to me at the time of the news.

Governor Sarah Palin:

Certainly, it would be good news to see a turnaround for the company because Matanuska Maid is a great part of Alaska's history. But evidence shows that outside competition has undercut Mat Maid's ability to continue the way it has been operating. The Board of Agriculture's request provides the time it wants for corporate planning - whether that means greater solvency or closing its doors.

Thanks,  
Meg

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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 12, 2007 2:11 PM  
**To:** Talis Colberg  
**Subject:** Re: Fuller Cowell and ed Rasmussen.

Dont know either. Except hes mad that we have "comm fish" biologist appointed to commissioner post. And ed's more sport fish oriented.

-----Original Message-----

**From:** "Talis Colberg" <Talis.Colberg@law.state.ak.us>  
**Date:** Sat, 12 May 2007 14:07:06  
**To:** <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>  
**Subject:** Fuller Cowell and ed Rasmussen.

Dear governor Palin. At the Msc graduation last night regent fuller Cowell made a point of asking me to convey to you or someone near to you his concern that you are neglecting ed Rasmussen. According to Cowell Rasmussen should be called by you. I have no idea what this is all about. I just listened without comment and nodded my head.

Talis.

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From: Emil\_Notti@commerce.state.ak.us  
Sent: Saturday, May 12, 2007 12:48 PM  
To: Sarah Palin  
Subject: Re: ethics

Congratulations! Thanks for standing strong. Emil

Sent from my BlackBerry® wireless handheld

-----Original Message-----

From: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Date: Sat, 12 May 2007 13:37:39

To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, Joseph D Schmidt  
<joseph\_schmidt@correct.state.ak.us>, mike\_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us,  
john\_bitney@gov.state.ak.us, Tom Irwin <tom\_irwin@dnr.state.ak.us>,  
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C Bishop <clark\_bishop@labor.state.ak.us>, Craig Campbell <craig.campbell2@us.army.mil>,  
talis.colberg@law.state.ak.us, denby\_lloyd@fishgame.state.ak.us, Leo Von Scheben  
<leo\_vonscheben@dot.state.ak.us>

Cc: meghan\_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us, Christopher G Clark  
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**From:** Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 12, 2007 3:25 PM  
**To:** Kreitzer, Annette (Dept. of Admin)  
**Cc:** mike\_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us  
**Subject:** Re: Cabinet questions re APOC electronic filing  
thank you Commissioner Kreitzer.

Hopefully APOC will fully utilize the tools we'll be providing the agency so we can all work together to build trust between voters and their government.

thanks!

*"Kreitzer, Annette (Dept. of Admin)" <Annette\_Kreitzer@admin.state.ak.us> wrote:*

Governor:

In the last Cabinet meeting I promised I would get back to you on why we need \$350,000 for the electronic filing of disclosure statements. You said you had not a problem filing your reports during your last campaign and wondered exactly why we need the additional funds and what cost savings might be achieved if APOC no longer has to key in information on these reports.

In 2003, APOC requested funding to only handle the Campaign Disclosure information electronically. When I was appointed and reviewing APOC's request for \$350,000 of additional money for this year, I asked for a status update on the previous appropriation. Basically, there's little to show for it. We will aggressively manage this project if the funding is maintained in the budget. It needs to be done, I know you want it done so that the public can see who contributes to whom and "follow the money."

The current system will not survive another election year, and it's an imperfect system that only addresses one piece of the reporting requirements. If the system is not updated, APOC will revert to a paper-only agency. Information currently available to users on the APOC WebPages would not be updated. This would not be in keeping with your philosophy of open government.

In terms of savings, Campaign Disclosure Statements range from one page (such as a registration statement, or an exemption statement) to 500 pages (such as a report by a gubernatorial candidate.) In many cases the quality of the handwriting is very poor, so each page takes longer to enter. In an election year, Brooke Miles, APOC Executive Director, estimates that 65% of the personal services resources of APOC (\$660.4 FY 07) are expended in the data entry process.

Of course, there is other work APOC does, which is unrelated to the automation of these reports including investigating complaints and providing training.

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As you are likely aware, HB 109 has been amended to require APOC to scan in handwritten information so that the public sees it timely. (Sec. 9. AS 15.13.040 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

(p) Information required by this chapter that is submitted to the commission on paper and not electronically shall be electronically scanned and published on the Internet by the commission, in a format accessible to the general public, within two working days after the commission receives the information.

I hope this information answers your questions and I can provide additional backup if you would like it.  
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Boardwalk for \$500? In 2007? Ha!

Play Monopoly Here and Now (it's updated for today's economy) at Yahoo! Games.

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**Sent:** Saturday, May 12, 2007 3:17 PM  
**To:** Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Nizich; Michael A (GOV); talis.colberg@law.state.ak.us; Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Rutherford; Martha K (DNR); Galvin; Patrick S (DOR); PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored)  
**Cc:** Stapleton; Meghan N (GOV); john\_bitney@gov.state.ak.us; Clark; Christopher G (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)  
**Subject:** Fwd: FW: VECO and PPT questions and synopsis of your answers to reporters  
**Importance:** High

With so much on everyone's plate with AGIA, I would anticipate the need for independent consultants to come in and help us answer the questions on PPT. The public will certainly be waiting to hear where we're going on this issue, as it's becoming clearer the PPT rate may have been adopted via undue pressure from the oil industry.

With my public statements made on revisiting PPT, and the legislators who support (and are calling for) a special session on PPT, we'll need to hustle on strategy re: who we use and when we get them in here to work with DOR, DNR and Law to get to the bottom of PPT, and to consider gross taxes if that's what's best for Alaska.

Thanks Mike. Let's talk soon about this with commissioners.

Note: forwarded message attached.

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**Cc:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com; mike\_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us  
**Subject:** RE: State Employee Appreciation Day

I sure appreciated that event - and thanks to Annette for coordinating everything. Thanks to commissioners for participating. Staff surely was thankful.

Next year I will give it more time, too.

Thanks, all, for all of your great work for Alaskans! You're leading your departments superbly. You are sincerely appreciated.

*"Hartig, Larry" <larry\_hartig@dec.state.ak.us> wrote:*

Annette,

I appreciated the opportunity to be there. Walking over with the group from DEC, I can tell you all of the crew was excited to see the Governor and receive recognition from her and you. Although it did get crowded in Juneau, and the audio from Anchorage was sometimes weak, I think it added to the team spirit for the employees who were being recognized to share the experience. Many thanks to you and your staff for a very positive event.

I look forward to working with you on recruitment and retention issues.

Larry

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**From:** Kreitzer, Annette (Dept. of Admin)  
**Sent:** Friday, May 11, 2007 2:14 PM  
**To:** Hartig, Larry; roger\_sampson@eed.state.ak.us; 'Jackson, Karleen'; emil\_notti@commerce.state.ak.us; denby\_loyd@fishgame.state.ak.us; 'talis\_colberg@law.state.ak.us'; 'walt\_monegan@dps.state.ak.us'; Leo von Scheben  
**Cc:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com; mike\_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us  
**Subject:** State Employee Appreciation Day

Dear Commissioners:

Sorry it was so crowded Wednesday in the 10<sup>th</sup> Floor Conference Room, if I'd known you were all coming I would have... made more room for you. Commissioner Von Scheben and I had lots of room in Anchorage!

Thank you for taking time out of your busy days to support outstanding State employees. These are individuals whose efforts were noted and nominated by their peers around the state.

Recognizing and highlighting excellent service within our workforce is a small step but I believe it sets a powerful example throughout the State. Your presence at the event helped accentuate that message to all of the employees, of course, including your own.

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I told you I would be working on recruitment and retention issues following session, and I remain committed to that task. Thank you for taking time to attend this event in support of your employees.

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**To:** Bitney; John W (GOV); Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Martha K Rutherford; Patrick S Galvin  
**Subject:** Re: AGIA

Pls re-send. Whats up with Agia?

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**Date:** Sat, 12 May 2007 17:24:19

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To: Sarah Palin  
Subject: RE: ag/mat maid

Governor, thanks for your support, there is a ton of work but fixing the challenges makes the effort worthwhile. The issues below are time sensitive with item 1 needing immediate direction, it will only get worse and items 2 & 3 needing must have final decisions early this week. Also its time to be praying for rain in the Interior.

Next week there are three priorities that DNR must work on and move forward Dick has been working hard on these while Marty and I have been gone. 1) Ag - Director, Mat Maid, farmer's concerns, etc. 2) Kenai River - hydrocarbon levels in the water, 2-cycle engines, 50-hp, hull options, timing so we don't hurt Alaskans. Dick has been coordinating this with DNR, F&G, and DEC and 3) ACMP's position for off shore work that addresses North Slope concerns and provides a path forward for Shell.

Marty, Dick, and I have a conference call planned for Monday on these issues. As we finalize recommended decisions we will need some of your time to discuss and make sure you are up to date. Each decision will upset someone. We just need to do it right.

I will stay in Fairbanks on Monday to attend the funeral service we discussed.

Have a very happy Mother's Day tomorrow. Tom

-----Original Message-----

From: "Sarah Palin" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>  
To: "Tom Irwin" <tom\_irwin@dnr.state.ak.us>; ivy\_frye@gov.state.ak.us  
Sent: 5/12/07 3:54 PM  
Subject: ag/mat maid

Tom:

Whenever you're ready to start tackling Ag issues (and Mat-Maid), I am.

I know we all have a ton on our plates and I appreciate you squeezing in another "challenge" we have in front of us with Ag.

I'd like to find a director from the Mat-Su Valley, as it seems that's where the focus of Ag is and has been lately.

Franci Havemeister is willing to help where we need her. Don't know if director position is best for her, I'd like you to talk to her and see if you feel she'd fit in any particular role. She's of the Havemeister Dairy Farm family - one of only three left providing milk to MatMaid.

We need to bring new energy into Ag and the BAC board, too. I'll ask Ivy for list of bd members.

We need good business minds to be in there deciding the direction of some aspects of Ag.

Thanks!

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Yahoo! oneSearch: Finally, mobile search that gives answers, not web links

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**From:** Kari Spencer [kari\_spencer@gov.state.ak.us]  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 12, 2007 10:42 AM  
**To:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com  
**Subject:** FW: Tuesday Shadow

Hi Governor, just making sure you are agreeable to this before I put it on the schedule.....

Kari Spencer  
Governor's Scheduler  
907-465-3986 phone; 907-465-3889 fax

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**From:** Meghan Stapleton [mailto:meghan\_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us]  
**Sent:** Friday, May 11, 2007 6:40 PM  
**To:** 'Kari Spencer'; 'Sunny C. Cayce'  
**Cc:** 'Sharon Leighow'; meghan\_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us  
**Subject:** Tuesday Shadow

On Tuesday, the Governor agreed to let Melissa deVaughn shadow her while wandering the halls and conducting meetings, etc. in Juneau. Melissa is doing a profile of the Governor for the December / January issue of Alaska Magazine. Melissa will talk to her a little, but spend most of the time just observing re: how she works.

Is there a time that's better than another for this – when perhaps the Governor is doing something? If anything needs to be "off the record," no problem. Melissa is aware and will respect it.

FYI for you, Melissa's numbers are Privileged cell and 688-7626 home.

Thanks,  
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**From:** Kari Spencer [kari\_spencer@gov.state.ak.us]  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 12, 2007 12:35 PM  
**To:** Willow Bianca Faye Palin; Bristol Palin; Todd Palin; gov.sarah@yahoo.com  
**Subject:** Dinner on Cruise Ship Mercury--May 20

Hello Willow and Bristol. The Palin family is invited to have dinner on the Cruise Ship *Mercury* on May 20 at 6:00pm. They have also invited you to bring a friend or two with you! I need to supply the birthdays and driver's license numbers (if you have one) of any guests. Picture ID will be needed to board the ship (I hope that doesn't mean Piper!). Please supply this information about your friends to me by Monday if you'd like to invite them. Bristol, I have your b/d but not your driver's license number. Thanks. Kari.

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**From:** Ivy Frye [Ivy\_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 12, 2007 3:53 PM  
**To:** Sarah Palin  
**Subject:** RE: ed rasumssen

(I mean talking to Ed)

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**From:** Sarah Palin [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 12, 2007 3:48 PM  
**To:** ivy\_frye@gov.state.ak.us; karleen\_jackson@health.state.ak.us; mike\_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us; John W Bitney; denby\_lloyd@fishgame.state.ak.us  
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**Subject:** ed rasumssen

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just fyi

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WE'LL find his replacement. The search is on.

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